

VIA FACSIMILE AND U.S. MAIL

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RE: MUR5678 Harold Newman

Dear Ms. Holtzman Vogel:

On August 24, 2005, the Federal Election Commission (the "Commission") notified Harold Newman of a complaint alleging that it violated the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended (the "Act"), and provided him with a copy of the complaint.

On December 12, 2006, the Commission found, on the basis of the information in the complaint, your response, and other information, that there is no reason to believe that Harold Newman violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441a(a)(1)(A) or 441f by making an earmarked contribution to Liffrig for Senate or making a contribution in the name of another.

The file in this matter is now closed. Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. *See* Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003). A copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report is enclosed for your information.

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If you have any questions, please contact Adam Schwartz, the attorney assigned to this matter at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Thomasenia P. Duncan Acting General Counsel

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Associate General Counsel

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for Enforcement

Enclosure

First General Counsel's Report